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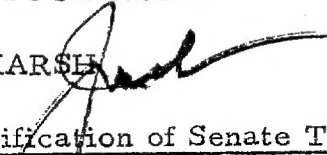
THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 12, 1975

Noted by D.C.I.
9/15/75

MEMORANDUM FOR: PHIL BUCHEN
BRENT SCOWCROFT

FROM: JACK MARSH 

SUBJECT: Declassification of Senate Testimony

Through the Legislative Affairs Office at CIA I have been advised that Senator Jackson is pressing to release the Colby/Duckett testimony taken February 11, 1975 before the Jackson Subcommittee on the subject of Soviet compliance with SALT I.

Senator Jackson has indicated to the Agency the Subcommittee's recommendation for declassification and has requested approval of their recommendation or justification for any exceptions to the same.

In light of the pending situation before the House Select Committee, this request takes on additional meaning and the response should be carefully considered.

It should be noted there is no indication of a unilateral declassification and publication by the Senate Subcommittee. The fact they are choosing this route can be cited to the House Select Committee as both the established and proper procedure for handling material of this type.

cc: Max Friedersdorf

✓cc: Mitch Rogovin